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IN RE APPLICATION OF: :  
Peter FICKEISEN, et al. : GROUP ART UNIT: 1714  
SERIAL NO.: 09/582,216 :  
FILED: July 20, 2000 : EXAMINER: C. SHOSHO  
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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated June 24, 2003, please reconsider the application in view of the attached Request for Continued Examination and in view of the following amendment and remarks.

**AMENDMENT**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The **Basis for Amendment** begins on page 13 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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